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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing in the above-identified application is a PTO/SB/08 Equivalent listing 13 (thirteen) references to be considered by the Examiner. Also enclosed are 8 (eight) foreign patent references and/or non-patent literature as listed on the Information Disclosure Statement.

This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed before the mailing date of a final action and before the mailing date of a Notice of Allowance.

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1,97(e)(1)

I hereby certify that each item of information contained in this Statement was first cited in any communication from a foreign Patent Office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement. Although U.S. 6,787,282, 6,511,785, 6,511,794, 2006/251986, and 2004/19152 were not directly cited in the counterpart foreign application, they are the English language equivalents of JP 2003-107710, JP 2001-142199, JP 2001-274062, WO 04/59392, and JP 2003-321520, and are therefore submitted herewith.

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